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edy, Dulles Dispute Nixon

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W. Dulles, former director of overt or covert." the Central Intelligence Agen- was advised of the White cy, yesterday denied former House statement, and said: Vice President Richard M. Nix-"I have no comment at this on's statement that President time, until I have a charice Kennedy knew about Cuban to read the statement. There an overall review of the world proposals of his Democratic invasion plans before the 10cm will be a lot of controversy situation during which Cuba opponent "probably the most invasion plans before the 1960 over the book, I imagine."

nearly two weeks after the election, White House press

titled "Six Crises," now on public debate, but in light of of the Cuban operation. sale, that candidate Kennedy the account in Mr. Nixon's knew about the plans and entervention in Cuba.

"Honest Misunderstanding" In a statement, Dulles said there had been "an honest misunderstanding" as a result of a report Nixon received concerning the briefings Dulles gave the Democratic candidate

"My briefings were intelligence briefings on the world situation," the former CIA di-

rector said. "They did not, cover our own Government's The White House and Allen plans or programs for action

When asked about the Mr. Kennedy was told about charge in Nixon's book, Sal-CIA's support of a Cuban in inger was, prepared with a said:

secretary Pierre Salinger said, lieve that intelligence brief-Nixon charges in a book en. ings are a proper subject of

"Mr. Nixon's account is ap-the had been one of the standing. Sen, Kennedy received two briefings from Mr.
Allen Dulles of the CIA, the
first on Init to the CIA, the first on July 23, 1960, and the In the fourth Kennedy-Nix-

situation during which Cuba opponent "probably the most was mentioned. But Sen. Ken-dangerously irresponsible renedy was first informed of the commendations" of the camoperation to which Mr. Nixon paign. refers in a briefing by Allen vasion force on Nov. 18, 1960, typewritten statement, which Dulles and Richard Bissell of that if this country supported

Bissell, a former assistant CIA director, was in charge be condemned in the United

Candidate Kennedy rebook it is necessary to say ceived a third pre-election dangered national security was not told before the elec C. P. Cabell, then CIA's come in, to come into Latin tion of 1960 of the training of deputy chief, but Cuba was America and to engage us in troops outside of Cuba or of not mentioned then, a White what would be a civil war,

parently based on a misunder- strongest supporters of the

second on Sept. 19, 1960, to television debate, the GOP "The two briefings covered candidate called the Cuban

In that debate, Nixon said the CIA given in Palm Beach, such an invasion "we would lose all of our friends in Latin lose all of our friends in Latin America, we would probably Nations and we would not accomplish our objectives.

"It would be an open invitaouse source said.

Nixon said in his book that that."